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Classified By: Ambassador Charles W. Larson Jr. for reason 1.4 (b)

(C) Defense Attaché delivered reftel demarche to Edgars Rinkevics, the Ministry of Defense State Secretary. The GOL can currently produce one OMLT, but will try to produce more in the future. They will make no fiscal contributions this year and future budget allocations for Afghanistan cannot be projected at this time as the 2009 budget is currently being drafted.

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